From:

Adams, Hope

Sent:

Wednesday, January 21, 2015 2:58 PM

To:

'Caleb Fackler'

Subject:

RE: Uber regulation

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Dear Mr. Fackler:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. I am forwarding your email to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email will become a part of Docket No. 2014-372-T and will be posted on our website under this Docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Hope H. Adams
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From: Caleb Fackler [mailto:cafackl93@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, January 16, 2015 4:20 PM

To: PSC_Contact

Cc: _RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group

Subject: Uber regulation

Dear PSC and others of which this may concern,

Following your recently issued statement regarding the operations of the ride sharing company, Uber I write to you urging you to relinquish your statement and work with this innovative company.

Recently, South Carolina has set records in bringing business to the Palmetto state. The large Boeing operation and other small innovate businesses have come to the state to operate and grow their company. Finally, a company has changed the outdated transit system. The multitude of fees and licenses required for taxis is out of control, and has created monopolies for the union of drivers. Now, a company built on the fundamentals of United States innovation to challenge other's ideas, products, and services, is introduced, and an ignorant statement is released crushing their operations.

Uber has set the standard for consumer safety in the Palmetto State. All uber rides are insured up to \$1,000,000, which is 20x the \$50,000 required of taxis in the state, and all drivers on the uberX platform must pass background checks at the county, state, and federal level before they are able to drive on the Uber platform. Their commitment to safety exceeds the current state requirements, which is why we are incredibly surprised and disappointed by the actions of the PSC.

No more *Uber* regulation! Encourage innovation!

Caleb Fackler

From:

Adams, Hope

Sent:

Wednesday, January 21, 2015 2:57 PM

To:

'Patty Grennon'

Subject:

RE: Uber

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----Original Message-----

From: Patty Grennon [mailto:pgrennon@maine.rr.com]

Sent: Friday, January 16, 2015 4:20 PM

To: PSC_Contact

Cc: _RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group

Subject: Uber

Hello,

I am a 51 year old woman with 3 young adult children; one of which is attending the College of Charleston.

As a woman who travels a lot, I use UBer in every city I visit. It is safe and reliable. Rides arrive within minutes with great drivers in new cars. I love that no money or tips are exchanged in the vehicle. My children use uber all the time as well. They love it for the same reasons I do. The ease of the uber app is great.

Please reconsider your decision to shut down uber. This change in the taxi model was needed and welcomed.

Thank you, Patty Grennon

Sent from my iPhone

From:

Adams, Hope

Sent:

Wednesday, January 21, 2015 2:57 PM

To:

'Robert Burnett'

Subject:

RE: Uber

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From: Robert Burnett [mailto:robert@burnett-partners.com]

Sent: Friday, January 16, 2015 4:20 PM

To: PSC_Contact

Cc: _RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group

Subject: Uber

Excluding Uber from South Carolina is a disservice to residents, an unfair constraint on free trade, and blatant protectionism of existing transportation interests threatened by a more innovative service provider. It is, in short, cronyism of the worst sort at the expense of the consumer. Shame on authorities for condoning a lack of competition in our state.

Robert Burnett

From:

Adams, Hope

Sent:

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To:

'Brinn Page'

Subject:

RE: Keep Uber in Charleston

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Dear Brinn Page:

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From: Brinn Page [mailto:brinn.page@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, January 16, 2015 4:20 PM

To: PSC_Contact

Cc: _RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group

Subject: Keep Uber in Charleston

Uber is the ONLY consistently reliable, affordable and safe taxi service in Charleston. Please allow Uber to operate in Charleston.

Regards, Brinn Page

From:

Adams, Hope

Sent:

Wednesday, January 21, 2015 2:56 PM

To: Subject: 'Kelsie Lucas'

RE: UBER

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Dear Ms. Lucas:

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From: Kelsie Lucas [mailto:kelsielucas@live.com]

Sent: Friday, January 16, 2015 4:20 PM

To: PSC_Contact

Cc: _RegStaff - Complaints Distribution Group

Subject: UBER

Uber needs to stay in South Carolina!! I makes the people of the state feel safe when the driver is put through a background check. Also, they speak ENGLISH!!! Taxi services sometimes does not even show up this causes people to drive DRUNK.. I know uber has saved many lives and reduced DUI's.

The uber cars are inspected and clean unlike a lot of taxi's I have been in. I know my uber drives name because they are americans, Uber app tells you with a picture, name and their licenses plate as well as where they are located. I am also able to see how long it will take to get to me.

I am all for Über and will be very upset if uber is taken away from South Carolina.

Uber has teamed up with Mothers Against Drunk Driving... Clearly it is working because 1. it is reasonable price. 2. Easy to get. 3. Always comes when they say they will. 4. Safer because of background checks, name, license plate, location, ETc. 5. AMERICAN & ENGLISH SPEAKING. Need I go on????